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KYAE Lesson Bank opens November 3

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KYAE is pleased to announce the November 3rd launch of the [KYAE Lesson Bank](#), a repository of high-quality, standards-based lessons created by and for KYAE instructors. The KYAE Lesson Bank is designed as a one-stop shop for instructors to find high-quality lesson plans and resources for their standards-based classroom. In the Lesson Vault, adult educators will be able to search by standard, lesson topic, or even content vocabulary to help find a lesson plan that fits their instructional needs. Instructors wishing to share their lessons will find the official templates for lesson submissions on the Bank's homepage. The Bank also provides instructors the means to review a posted lesson and submit their own public feedback by rating a lesson plan and sharing their thoughts and suggestions for its implementation with students. Those lessons with the highest ratings will be showcased on the Lesson Bank's front-page blog, a source for news and recent additions to the Lesson Bank!

To kick off the Lesson Bank and build a collection of high-quality lessons, KYAE will hold a competition for the best KYAE lesson of 2014-15. Recognition in all KYAE publications will be awarded to the author; a banner and bragging rights for a full year will go to the author's learning center. **Submissions for the competition will be accepted until April 1, 2015.** In April, the lesson reviewers/coaches will identify the top finalists. These finalists will review each other's lessons and select, from among themselves, **KYAE's Outstanding Lesson for 2014-15.**

We encourage you to explore the many features of the Bank at:

- <http://kyaelessons.blogspot.com/> (works best with Chrome or Firefox)
- Username: kyaeinstructors@gmail.com
- Password: kyae1415

Make note of these login credentials! And, just remember, before you can find any lessons, instructors must submit their lessons for acceptance to the Bank. The process for submission is outlined below:

- [How to Submit a Lesson Plan](#) (339K PDF)
- [How to Find Lesson Plans](#) (345K PDF)
- [How to Search for Lesson Plans](#) (236K PDF)

The KYAE Lesson Bank is now open for "deposits."

If you have questions, please contact Gayle box at gayle.box@ky.gov or 502-573-5114, ext. 353.